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AMENDMENT WITH RCE

Madam:

In response to the Decision on Appellant's Request for Rehearing ("the Rehearing Decision") asking the Board to reconsider the March 17, 2010 Decision ("the Decision"), which sustained Examiner's Rejections (1), (2), and (5)¹ of claims 1, 3, 14, 16, 33, and 36-40² of the Official Action mailed on June 15, 2007 ("Official Action"), please amend the application as set forth below. This Amendment is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination.

¹ The Examiner's cumulative rejections (3) and (4) were vacated by the Board in the Decision.

² Claims 5-8 and 13 stand withdrawn.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper. (pp. 3-5)

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper. (pp. 6-10)

Exhibit A accompanies this response and includes 3 pp.